LAKE GAVE UP BODY OF AGNES MAGUIRE

Girl Who Disappeared Is Found Drowned.

HAD NO MARKS OF VIOLENCE

Think She Must Have Wandered Into the Water.

PROBABLY WAS PANIC-STRICKEN

Corpse Found by the Constable. Father Summoned to the

Scene.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

LAKE HOPATCONG, N. J., August 27 .-The body of Miss Agnes Maguire, the former Brooklyn school teacher who mysterlously disapeared last Saturday night, was found in Lake Hopatcong this morning.

Constable Christie had been dragging the lake with grappling irons during the night and this morning, and about 9:15 o'clock he brought the body to the surface.

It was found directly in front of Camp Lookout at Nolan's Point and not far from the station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey. It was near there that Miss Maguire disappeared.

James Garrison and William Snyder, two Paterson young men who are staying at Excelsior Camp, near Camp Lookout, helped Constable Christie to bring the body ashore.



AGNES McGUIRE.

It was carried into the boathouse of Allen's Hotel and Christie remained at the door and kept the curious out. The news of the finding of the body became quickly known all around the lake and parties of campers began to set out for Nolan's Point in launches and boats of every description.

Father Notified.

There was soon a big crowd at Allen's boathouse, but only a few persons were admitted to see the body of the girl. The body showed no marks of violence, and the only theory entertained is that the young woman wandered into the water in her fright and that her death was accidental.

As soon as the body had been brought to land Coroner Hitchins of Dover was notified by telephone, and he was expected to arrive here later in the day. Mr. Maguire, the dead girl's father, who stopped last night at Dover, was also told by telephone of the finding of the body. He immediately started for this place.

How She Was Lost.

uncle's home, in Dover, N. J., when on Saturday evening her cousin, Charles Maguire, a clerk in the Dover post office, took her for a drive to Camp Lookout, at No- fully treated with tar. lan's Point, on Lake Hopatcong. They ara thunderstorm was about to occur. Hitching his horse to a tree, Charles Maguire left his cousin waiting in the carriage while he went to the camp to get some clothing. He sail he was absent only a few minutes, but when he returned Agnes was gone, leaving no trace of the route she had taken. Charles said he supposed the young woman, who was of a nervous tempera-ment, became frightened by the vivid flashes of lightning after he left her alone, and, trying to reach the camp, ost her way

CORPORAL TANNER SUED. And Says He Will Fight Matter Out

in Court.

SARATOGA, August 27.-Corp. James Tanner, register of wills at Washington, a past grand commander of the G. A. R., and one of the best known Grand Army men in the United States, is the defendant in a suit for \$25,000 damages, brought by Frank Z. Jones of Rome, N. Y., which was filed | treatment. yesterday by ex-Senator Edgar T. Brackett, attorney for Jones. At the last New York state encampment

Jones was a candidate for commander. In his suit he alleges that Corp. Tanner wrote a letter at that time in which he made charges against Jones' record and referred to him as a "boor." Because says, he was beaten for office. Because of this, he The letter, which is quoted in full in the complaint, gives several specific instances of alleged misconduct by Jones. These

COOL WAVE DUE.

Fairbanks Heading for the Pacific Coast.

Special Dispatch to The Star. CHICAGO, Ill., August 27.-After spend-

ing the night in Chicago Vice President Fairbanks left today for Sacramento, Cal. to attend the national irrigation congress. He will stop at Trinidad, Col., on his way

"While I am not talking politics," ae said, "the people are interested and alive to the coming campaign. With good crops, and plenty of work, politics does not enter into the general life of our people as much as is generally believed.

BOILER EXPLOSION KILLS FOUR. One of the Victims Was Literally Blown to Bits.

Special Dispatch to The Star. HAGERSTOWN, Md., August 27 .- Edward Ridenour died this morning at the Washington County Hospital in Hagerstown, making the fourth fatality as a re-sult of the boiler explosion yesterday at the saw mill in the woods on the Huyett near Cavetown. George W. Beard, the foreman, was blown to pieces. Elmer Stevens and Samuel Shirley died in the

POLICEMAN STROBEL STABBED BY EUGENE BAILOR.

'Foggy Bottom" Scene of Trouble. Prisoner Has Two Bullet Wounds in Leg.

Suffering with two deep knife wounds, both in the region of the heart, inflicted speculations are made regarding the scope Emergency Hospital in a serious condi-

In another ward is Eugene Bailor, col-4th street. He is accused of having wounded the policeman, and is under treatment for two shot wounds in his right leg, inflicted by the policeman. Bailor is under police guard.

Policeman Archie Auran of the third precinct, who was with Policeman Strobel at the time of the assault, had his coat slashed in several places, but the knife blade did not penetrate to the skin. The trouble occurred at the corner of E street and Virginia avenue, in that section of the city known as Foggy Bot-tom. While Policemen Strobel and Auran were patroling their beat they noticed a large crowd of disorderly persons stand-ing near the school house at E street and Virginta avenue Policeman Strobel ordered them to move. In a body they walked across the street and stopped on

the opposite corner.
"You can't stand here any more than over there," Policeman Strobel an-nounced, following the crowd up.

Refused to Move.

"I'm not going to move any farther," Bailor replied, according to the police-

"Well, if you won't move your way you will move mine, then," Policeman Strobel remarked, and he reached for Bailor. Bailor, it is alleged, thereupon stabbed the policeman in the left side near the heart. Policeman Strobel did not realize that he had been cut, and returned what he thought was a fist blow with a blow

with his baton.

Bailor fought hard, it is said by the police, and stabbed again. About that time Policeman Strobel saw that his oppoment had a knife and was slashing with it at him and his partner, Policeman Auran. He quickly drew his revolver, and when Bailor made another slash with his arm, trying to bury the knife blade again in the policeman's body, Policeman Strobel shot. The bullet penetrated the right leg just above the knee and came out at the back

of the leg a few inches below. Bailor, however, continued to struggle. Policeman Strobel, thinking that the first bullet had gone wild, fired again, the bullet penetrating the leg near the ankle. Both shots, fired at close range, went through the man's leg. He was then arrested, and the two policemen started with him for a

Beat Back Crowd.

The fight had not been confined to Policeman Strobel and Bailor. Several other members of the crowd tried to save Ballor from arrest and swarmed around the two men in uniform, but the policemen beat them back.

It was after Bailor had been arrested hat Policeman Strobel discovered, he says, that he had been cut. He felt the blood trickling down his side and noted that his clothing was moist. When he found that he was bleeding profusely he decided to go to the hospital with the man who was His wounds began to pain him by the time he reached the surgeons.

HOT TAR TO ME TRIED

TO KEEP DOWN THE DUST ON DISTRICT ROADS.

The idea of treating macadam roads in and about the city with crude oil as a interests of the blind, some of them sightmeans of preventing dust and mud has been less themselves. The feature of the conabandoned by the Commissioners, and they vention work at the morning session was are now devoting their attention to tests with hot tar. Tar, the Commissioners have Fraser, superintendent of the Halifax, N. been informed, has proved successful as a S., School for the Blind, on "The Needs of dust and mud preventive, and this method | Our Schools for the Blind." may be adopted in the District.

Capt. Jay J. Morrow, Engineer Commissioner; Capt. Edward Markham, assistant engineer commissioner; Julian O. Hargrove, inspector of cements and asphalts Miss Maguire had been visiting at her for the District, and L. R. Grabill, superintendent of county roads, left the city today for Montclair, N. J., where several macadam roads are said to have been success-

The idea of treating roads with oil is said rived at the camp after dark and just as to have originated in France. California was the first state to take it up in this country, and according to reports it has proven successful. It was Col. John Biddle, former Engineer Commissioner of the District, who first thought of using oil on the roads at the National capital. The Department of Agriculture and Col. Bromwell, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, also became enthusiastic over the idea and treated several roads for a short distance in the vicinity of the monument. Col. Biddle had two or three macadam streets within the city limits treated with oil, but none of these experiments were particularly successful-that is they did not incite sufficient enthusiasm to carry the scheme any further.

Julian Hargrove, the inspector of asphalts and cements, studied the possibilities of using hot tar. This method of treatment also found its origin in France more than eight years ago, and it claimed attention as offering a cheap and practical method of treatment. Mr. Hargrove experimented with a few barrels of the tar on a road in Anacostia and he has predicted its success ever since. Climatic conditions have a good deal to do with the success of this method of treatment and the roadbed and the surface has to undergo a careful treatment before the tar is applied.

Allerton S. Cushman, assistant director, office of public roads, Department of Agri-culture, has devoted considerable time and study to the use of tar on roads and he is particularly satisfied with it and predicts a great future for it. He says that the successful results which have been reported from the use of tar make it highly probable that it will be used extensively in the fu-

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

NEW YORK August 27.-Arrived Steamers Moltke, from Genoa; Armenian, from Liverpool; C. F. Tietgen, from Copenhagen; Minneapolis, London; Furnessia, from Glasgow.

CAPE RACE, N. F., August 27.-The steamer Baltle, from Liverpool for New York, was in communication by wireless telegraph with the Marconi station when 1,184 miles east of Sandy Hook at 6 a.m. Will probably dock about 7:30 a.m. Friday.

NEW YORK, August 27.—The steamer Slavonia, from Trieste for New York, was reported by wireless telegraph 193 miles east of Sandy Hook lightship at 10 a.m. Will probably dock about 7:30 a.m. Wednes

Cornered Mars and Saturn. Special Cablegram to The Star.

LIMA. August 27.-Prof. David P. Todd of Amherst, head of the Lowell astronomical expedition which came to Peru last May to make observations from one of the sum mits of the Andes, said in an interview today that the expedition had been eminently Stevens and Samuel Shirley died in the hospital in Hagerstown yesterday evening. All four of the men were married and leave families. Dr. A. M. Kalbach, owner of the plant, says the explosion was due to low water in the boiler.

Stevens and Samuel Shirley died in the United States. He adds that, in the interest of economical addinistration of the army, he cannot disregard sources of supply which are satisfactory both as regards price and to low water in the boiler.

Stevens and Samuel Shirley died in the United States. He adds that, in the interest of economical administration of the army, he cannot disregard sources of supply which are satisfactory both as regards price and to low sons, Albert L. and Louis G. efficiency. successful. They had a splendid observa-tion of the eclipse of the sun, but their most

PARIS PAPERS THINK THEIR MEETING SIGNIFICANT.

PARIS, August 27.-The French newspapers are energetically occupied with discussing the recent interview between the French ambassador to Germany, Jules Cambon, and Prince von Buelow, the imperial chancellor, at Nordeney, which is now deemed to have been of the greatest import to Germany and France. Extensive by a man who refused to recognize the of the interview and its probable effect on authority of a bluecoat, Policeman C. A. the relations between the two countries. Strobel of the third precinct is at the The majority of the papers express the opinion that there was something more specific behind the meeting than an exchange of amicable sentiments, as alleged ored, thirty-two years of age, of 1539 in the official note on the subject, and it is intimated that an understanding was reached between the two statesmen on the

subject of Morocco.

The Journal avers that, in spite of diplomatic notes, the "skeleton of Algeciras rat tles in every joint under the irresistible pressure of circumstances. The Matin and the Petit Parisien consider the interview to be a happy augury for general accord, and the Echo de Paris, after admitting that it is in the dark on the subject, asks what definite arrangement relating to Morocco could have been

made, adding: "Our relations with Germany could only permit of a business pact. The consensus of opinion appears to be that Germany probably has agreed not to oppose France being given a freer hand in Morocco should the situation warrant it. Dispatches received here from Madrid to-day say that the Spanish cabinet has taken action on the subject of Morocco, but add that the step taken is of such a "delicate character" as to render it impossible to

Vice Admiral Philibert cables from Casalanca under yesterday's date that all the Moroccan ports remain calm, that there has been no further fighting at Casablanca, and that the French scouting parties are not encountering any resistance. The Europeans who, presumably, left Fez August 24 for El Araish, will on their arri-

publish details.

cruiser du Chayla.

ALARMED THE SHERIFF.

val there be taken on board the French

Rumors of Lynching Party Caused

Easton (Pa.) Jailer to Get Busy. EASTON, Pa., August 27.-There was much excitement about the county jail at 3 o'clock this morning due to a rumor from South Bethlehem that a party of determined ironworkers had left that borough in an automobile to come to the county seat and take William Handy, a South Carolina negro, from jail and lynch him. The negro was arrested several hours earlier for the murder at South Bethlehem last night of Policeman Shuman. Warden Collins took no chances and aroused and armed all the deputies and trustles, put the double bars on all the entrances to the prison, and had the entire police force stationed about the

The prisoner was taken from his cell and hidden in a remote corner of the prison ceilar. After waiting until dawn for the arrival of the supposed lynchers, the officers were dismissed. The murder of Shuman was most foul. The policeman had heard of a negro insulting women in a lonely section of South

Bethlehem and went to that quarter to make an investigation. He found Handy and when he attempted to place him under and when he attempted to place him duels arrest the negro opened fire. Two bullets entered the policeman's body and he died a block from the place where he was shot.

Policeman McCue round Handy in a board yard and jumped upon him before he could get his revolver, which had been reloaded, into action. A crowd of angry men suroccurred last night.

Today Handy pretends to be ignorant of the happenings of last night. WORKERS FOR THE BLIND.

Ninth Annual Convention of Ameri-

can Association at Boston. BOSTON, August 27 .- The ninth convention of the American Association of Workers for the Blind, which was opened in this city today, brought together many persons prominent through their work in the a discussion on a paper by Dr. C. F.

Among those who took part in the discussion were Miss Christine Le Barraque, the first blind woman lawyer in the United States, and Dr. F. J. Campbell, the sightless founder and superintendent of the Royal Normal College and Academy of Music for the Blind at London, England. Miss Helen Keller and Gen. F. H. Apple ton, superintendent of the Perkins Institu-tion for the Blind, welcomed the delegates at the opening of the convention. The ses-sions of the blind workers will continue through Friday.

LA! LA! BILL POSTERS, TOO.

Who'd Have Thought There'd Be Trust Talk Here?

The closing session of the second annual convention of the Independent Bill Posters and Advertising Painters of the United States and Canada was held this morning at the Arlington Hotel.

The principal business in order was the election of officers for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows: President, J. E. Morrison of Chicago; secretary, H. B. Sprague of Boston; treasurer, A. L. Melvin, Detroit, Mich.; first vice president, Jos. H. Reass, Wheeling, W. Va.; second vice president, W. R. Francis, Portland, Maine; third vice president, J. W. Shadwald, Minneapolis, Minn., and fourth vice president, G. A. Wegefarth, Philadelphia,

It was developed that the National Association of Bill Posters may be prosecuted for persecuting the independents. Representatives of the law firms of O'Donnell & Coghlan of Chicago and .erdinand Block of Philadelphia were in consultation with the executive board this morning and discussed evidence which, it is stated, has been gathered in almost every state and in the Canadian provinces. The officers of the independent association were very reticent as to just what steps will be taken, but it is said that today's meeting is the beginning of some sensational developments. Some of the members of the executive board guardedly explained that all national advertisers who patronize bill posters throughout the country have been warned that if they place any business with the independents the old organization will refuse to handle their business in any other part of the country.

HEARST CONVENTION SEPT. 28. Independence League Also Issues a Call for Primaries.

NEW YORK, August 27.-The executive ommittee of the Independence League met esterday at the Gilsey House and decided that the league's state convention shall be held in Carnegie Hall on September 28. There will be about 700 delegates-one delegate for every thousand Hearst votes last

September 24 is the day set for league primaries in the cities of New York and Buffalo, and September 17 for primaries in other places. The committee also issued a call for local conventions.

Orders 400,000 Horse Shoes.

pecial Cablegram to The Star. LONDON, August 27.-War Secretary Haldane confirms the report that an order for 100,000 sets of horse shoes had been placed in the United States. He

Holiday for District Laborers

OR "PER DIEM" EMPLOYES

Controller Tracewell Gives an Unfavorable Decision.

HOPE FOR CHANGE NEXT YEAR

"No Work; No Pay," the Rule, and Only Congress Has Authority to Break It.

The per diem employes and laborers in the service of the District government will not be granted holiday on Labor day. The question was settled by Controller of the Treasury Tracewell this morning when Commissioner West, who was anxious to include these employes in the holiday, said that it could not be legally granted. As a result of this condition Commissioner West will recommend to the other Commissioners that an item be included in the next annual estimate for the District appropriation submitted to Congress by the Commissioners providing that this class of em-

ployes be granted holiday on Labor day. Upon reading President Roosevelt's order in The Star last night, extending the holiday privilege to all laborers and per diem employes of the federal government, Commissioner West was at once anxious to have a similar privilege extended to the District's per diem employes and laborers. He took the subject up with Auditor Tweedale and Disbursing Officer Rogers, relative to the legality of the question. In view of the fact that these officials considered doubtful and the fact of the payment of money would be involved, the opinion of the controller of the treasury was sought

Labor on Labor Day. "I should like to make Labor day in the District of Columbia a holiday in fact as well as in name," said Commissioner West today. "It does not seem right to have a national holiday in honor of the laborer and yet compel the laborer either to work upon that holiday or else lose his day's vages. He ought to have his holiday and feel that he is not losing anything. Other employes of the government who have the good fortune to draw annual salaries enjoy Labor day as a holiday without forfeiting any portion of their salaries, even though the also get thirty days' holiday in addi-

Commissioner West told Judge Tracewell that he appreciated the difference between the federal public service and the District ome way might be found that per dien employes and day laborers under the Dis-trict government might be given the advan-

tage of a holiday with pay. No Work; No Pay. Judge Tracewell said that the President had authority under the law to issue the order, but that he was not acquainted with any statute which either gave the President. presiding elder, Rev. John W. Norris. After authority to include the laborers under the singing by the choir and prayer by Dr. District government, or which gave to the Norris the address of welcome was delivcommissioners authority to issue an order similar to that promulgated by the President. He expressed the keenest sympathy in the proposition submitted to him, but added A. E. Waddleton. that he doubted whether laborers could be formed. Inasmuch as he intends to leave the city tomorrow he said that he could not

prepare a formal decision, but simply gave his offhand opinion in the matter. Although it may not be possible this year to secure the desired object, Commissioner West said that he would recommend to his colleagues that in the next appropriation oill a clause be inserted authorizing the auditing officials of the Treasury Department o allow payments on the District pay rolls or the national holiday known as Labor Day, when heads of the departments who approved such pay rolls certified that the name thereon were those of laborers reguarly employed by the District.

MAY BRING SHIP HERE

DISCUSSING DISPOSITION OF THE FRIGATE CONSTITUTION.

There is a strong probability that the famous old frigate Constitution will be brought from Boston to Annapolis, or perhaps to Washington, to rest for the end avoid arousing the ire of the patriots of the old Bay State, and causing such a W. H. Conner, and "Punctuality Among demonstration of the patriots of the patriots of the old Bay State, and causing such a W. H. Conner, and "Punctuality Among demonstration of the patriots demonstration of feeling as followed the notable deliverance of Secretary Bonaparte in favor of taking the old ship out to order at 2:30 o'clock p.m. by the district to sea and making a target of her, Acting superintendent. Secretary Newbury has felt bound by the state of affairs at the Boston navy yard, where the frigate now lies, to call the attention of Gov. Guild to the necessity of removing her from her present berth. The Boston yard is now congested and the water front too restricted for the proper accommodation of the commissioned ships of the navy in need of repairs, yet the Constitution occupies much of that val-

uable space. Acting Secretary Newberry has pointed out that it would be possible to send more naval work to the Boston yard if the facilities were greater, such as would follow the removal of the Constitution. He has asked Gov. Guild whether the city authorities would be willing to undertake the care of the ship, raising the necessary funds, perhaps, by popular subscription, and mooring the vessel, perhaps, in the Back bay, where she would be in sight of more people than

at present. The governor was not at the moment in a position to answer the question, and now Mr. Newberry is considering the advisability of settling the question for himself by bringing the ship either to Washington, where she would be placed permanently in the tidal basin, surrounded by the beautiful Potomac Park, and accessible to the many thousand of patriotic American citizens who daily make the pilgrimage to the nation' capital, or to locate her in the roads at Annapolis, where she would be an inspiration to the young midshipmen and future dition is unsatisfactory, and the location

Plans of the Defense. Plans for the defense of the brokerage

firms which the police have under observation as bucketshops were outlined at a meeting held last night in the office of Attorney William E. Ambrose. The lawyers present were W. E. Ambrose, Eugene Jones, Messrs, Thompson and Laskey and John B. Daish. Just what decision was made is not made public, but it is understood that they discussed the advisability of continuing business and of getting an early decision of the legal ty of the bucket-shop business in the District.

IN EIGHTH DISTRICT.

Virginia Republican Convention Nominates Candidate for Congress. Special Dispatch to The Star.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., August 27.-The re publican congressional convention of the eighth district this afternoon nominated Ernest L. Howard of Fairfax county a candidate for Congress from this district. He will oppose C. C. Carlin, the democratic nominee, at the election next November

BIG HAUL MADE BY PHILADEL-PHIA INSPECTORS.

PHILADELPHIA, August 27.-Charged by United States postal inspectors with the wholesale selling of obscene postal cards, Gustave P. Lang of this city, who traded under the name of the P. C. Novelty Company, was arrested today and held in bail for trial. The arrest of Lang is regarded as the most important capture yet made in the crusade against the objectionable

The case was brought to the attention of the authorities by a resident of Rome, N. Y., who received a sample series of postals. It is said the nature of the cards led him

After he had been taken into custody Lang's place of business was searched. The officials claim that in addition to hundreds of the obscene cards, abundant evidence in the way of orders shipped to individuals and firms throughout the country was discovered. One firm in New York, it is claimed, ordered 22,000 cards, while there were other orders ranging from 100 to 8.000 The postal authorities say Lang is a wholesaler and has agents in many cities. It is said he has other employes who are known as "road agents." whose business it is to go to the smaller towns and take orders, which are filled direct from this city. It is expected several other arrests will be made within a few days.

At the chief inspector's office at the Post Office Department today a reporter of The Star was told that foreign makers give the most trouble about improper cards. It is impossible, it was said, to head them off. except when an occasional importation happens to be intercepted at a custom house, and the foreign manufacturer is not amenable to the United States postal laws. Occasionally an American copies the foreign obscene cards, but when he is caught that source of supply is checked. The foreign supply, however, cannot be stopped, the department's only recourse being the punishment of those who circulate the cards. The worst ones, it is said, are, of course, circulated as first-class matter, in sealed envelopes, but even then the department occasionally manages to intercept some of them. On the other hand, it was declared that cards often sent openly are almost incredibly offensive. Such cards are held by the authorities and never delivered, in case they do not come within the purview of the law. There is also a federal law prohibiting the transmission by express states of obscene matter, and this is often invoked when it is found that offenders are trying to get ahead of the postal authori-

The offense is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$5,000 or imprisonment not to exceed five years, or both. This applies to the man who sends but one card and to the exploiter who sends thousands, but the court discriminates.

ENDS ITS WORK.

Close of Convention of the A. M. E. Sunday School. The A. M. E. Sunday school convention

of the Potomac district closed its sessions last Sunday night. The convention was called to order by the

ered by Rev. C. H. Young. Response was made by the district superintendent, Mrs. The district superintendent appointed W. paid for a day's work which was not per- | Edwards chairman of the finance committrict secretary, Mrs. M. F. Benn. The response to the roll-call showed a very large attendance over that of last year. secretary's annual report showed an in- \$1,000.

crease along all lines of Sunday school The presiding elder announced that efforts are being made to build a home for aged ex-pastors, and appealed to the convention to give what aid it could. The following were appointed a committee to help raise funds for the home: Rev. P. W. Wortham, chairman; Miss Edwards, Mrs. Millie Lewis, Mrs. Julia Gross, Mrs. Suell

and E L. Scott. The session Friday afternoon was opened by the district superintendent, devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. C. H. Young and Scriptural lesson read by Miss Walls. A paper was read by A. W. Car-

"The Relation of Baptized Children to the Church" was the subject of a paper John W. Butcher. A paper was also read by Miss Jessie Thomas. A duet by Helen and Ruth Johnson was enjoyed.

The meeting Friday evening was called to order at 8 o'clock by the district superintendent. Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. J. M. McElderry. The super-

W. H. Conner, and "Punctuality Among Sunday School Workers," by Mrs. Julia Coston. The business session Saturday was called The following named persons were ap-

pointed committee on nomination: Dr. W. Hr Conner, chairman; Mrs. M. F. Benn, Mrs. Julia Coston, Miss Elizabeth Carr, Rev. C. H. Young, Rev. McElderry. The committee reported the following nominations: Superintendent, Mrs. A. E. Waddleton; first assistant, Charles ten; second assistant, W. E. Jones; secretary, Mrs. M. F. Bonn; assistant secretary, Miss A. Dale; recording secretary, Miss M. Throckmorton; treasurer, Mrs. Julia Cos-

An executive committee was appointed. as follows: Mr. E. G. Evans, chairman; Mrs. Julia Gross, Mrs. Julia Coston, Mrs. M. Young, Mrs. L. A. Jordan, F. W. Hickman and E. L. Scott. The meeting Sunday afternoon was the "model school session." The little fellows vied with one another to show that they understood the latest methods of model

school work best. Short talks were made by Rev. Dr. Morris, Mrs. and Rev. E. H. Hunter and Mrs. J. H. Welch.

At the evening session the principal feature was a paper by E. L. Scott and the installation of the Sunday school officers. telling of the work she is trying to do in the Sunday school. The next Sunday school convention is to be held at Annapolis, Md., in August, 1908.

The pastor and members of the church were thanked for caring for the convention. Building Permit Issued.

Inspector Ashford issued a building permit today to A. R. Townshend for one three-story brick dwelling at 2617 Garfield street, estimated to cost \$6,000; architects, Hunter & Bell; builder, J. J. Kelley.

Mrs. Sigel Dead.

Mrs. Pauline A. Sigel, widow of Benjamin Sigel, died yesterday morning at 11:20 o'clock. Mrs. Sigel was eighty-five years of age. Funeral services will be held at St. Benedict's Convent. Brookland. Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, with requiem mass at St. Anthony's Church at 9:30 a.m. Burial will be at St. Mary's cemetery.

Temptation for the Dishonest. Maj. Sylvester stated today that many

persons in the District are careless in regard to leaving gates and doors unlocked and tempting housebreakers and other criminals. He explains that owners of property can help the police "by locking the stable door before the horse is stolen." As the result of an investigation last night the police found, it is announced.

Danes Prefer Chinese Labor.

eighteen doors were open.

MOTION FOR RELEASE OF DE-FENDANT ON PERSONAL BONDS.

Objection by Assistant United States Attorney Turner Sustained by Judge Mullowny.

Thomas Lacy, arrested several weeks ago

by Detectives Parham and O'Brien upon a charge of operating a handbook, and since that time detained in jail made an effort in the Police Court today through Attorney Ricks to secure release on his personal bonds until the case is called for trial Thursday. When the motion was made Assistant United States Attorney Turner was not in the courtroom, but Judge Mullowny to complain and the arrest of Lang fol- had him summoned. "This boy has been locked up for the past four weeks," the attorney for the defense explained, "on a charge of operating a handbook. He has elected to be tried by the court, and, in view of the fact that he has resided in this city all his life, it is asked that his personal bonds be taken for his appearance in court

Thursday morning for trial The case was the last called today, and as Lacy several weeks ago when arraigned asked for a jury trial Judge Mullowny today inquired if he now desired to be tried by the court. The reply was in the affirmative. The defendant was then formally arraigned and allowed to make his formal declaration for a trial by the court. Assistant United States Attorney Turner

under any circumstances consent to the defendant being released unless he should furnish surety in the sum of \$1,000. United States Attorney Sustained. "You have heard what the assistant United States attorney has to say," Judge

Mullowny remarked, addressing the attor-

announced that the government would not

ney for the defense. "His position will have to be upheld." As Lacy was unable to furnish bond he was returned to jail. His is the first of the handbook cases in which the defendant made a plea for release on personal bonds, and the vigor with which the United States attorney's office opposed the motion is not regarded as favorable to similar efforts by others of the alleged handbook men. Lacy seemed much depressed as a deputy United States marshal led him back to the dock.

The defendant, according to Detectives Parham and O'Br.en, who made the arrest, had been visiting a shop located in the rear of police headquarters and collecting money from time to time from the employes. The detectives investigated the cause of his trips and declare that they learned that he was collecting handbook bets. At the time he was placed under arrest, it is stated, the defendant had no handbook or slips of paper such as are used in connection with handbooks, in his possession, but they claim but when the case is called in court they will present at least four witnesses to testify they gave Lacy money from time to time to play on the races.

No Developments of Late.

There have been no developments in the handbook cases of late, the alleged principals in many cases, according to the police, having taken to cover immediately after The Star's crusade was started. Assistant United States Attorney Turner, who is prosecuting in the United States branch of the Police Court in the absence of Assistant United States Attorney Ralph Given, now on vacation, has announced that the handbook men will be vigorously prosecuted.

Attorney Malcolm Hufty, who represents Edward Green, arrested last week upon a charge of operating a handbook, was at the office of the assistant United States attorney yesterday afternoon consulting in regard to the case of his client, which will probably be called Thursday. The detectives of the credential committee. The roll of Sunday schools was called by the the district aperatury Mrs. M. F. Para. week accumulating evidence, and at the hearing another phase of handbook crusade in the capital city will be brought to light. Green is at liberty in bond in the sum of

CULVER CADETS BUSY. Drill on White Lot and Go Sight-

seeing. The 400 or more cadets of the Culver Military Academy who arrived in this city Sunday night from the Jamestown exposition gave an exhibition drill yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock on the White Lot, where they were reviewed by Assistant

Secretary of the Navy Newberry. The boys were attired in dark blue blouses and white trousers, and made a fine showing. They were in charge of Maj. L. P. Gignilliat, commander of the academy, and officers as follows: Commander Thomas Gignilliat, Capts. Hunt. Glascock, Grainer, Grant, McNagney, Noble and Kennedy and Prof. Marion of the United States Naval Academy.

In the evening the boys attended the performance at Chase's. Many of the cadets took a sightseeing bile trip about the city this morning, while others went to Mount Vernon. This afternoon there will be an exhibition drill at Fort Myer. The entire command will leave tonight for Annapolis, where tomorrow they will be escorted through the Naval Academy grounds and bulldings. A crew of the cadets and of the fourth class of the Naval Academy will engage in a

boat race tomorrow. The boys will return here tomorrow even-ing, and will leave later over the Pennsylvania railroad for home.

REPORT OF ASSAULT.

Couple Claim to Have Been Attacked

Virginia end of the Long bridge, has been reported to both the Washington and Virginla police. Mary Fortney of 514 15th street southeast and Ernest White of 14 B street northeast are the names and addresses given by the persons who comcers. The paper was discussed by Prof. | plained of being assaulted. The man had Patten. Mrs. Seville read a short paper a severe cut on the chin, which was treated at the Emergency Hospital. He said that the highwayman had knocked him down with a blunt instrument and then attacked the girl, but that he had succeeded in driving the assailant away with a stick. Dead Man's Hollow is said to figure in a long .ist

Funeral of Anton Eberly. Funeral services over the remains of An-

ton Eberly, who died Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at his home, 740 5th street northwest, were held at 3 o'c'ock this afternoon at his late residence. The services were conducted by Rev. Paul Menzel of the Concordia Lutheran Church. Interment was made in Oak Hill cemetery.

The pallbearers were: James H. Vermilya, John R. Major, Henry Franc, Jacob Karr, Karl Graff and W. Kock.

Howard County Slate. ELLICOTT CITY, Md., August 27.-The

Howard county republican convention adjourned from August 13, reconvened here yesterday and nominated the following ticket: State senator-Walter S. Black of the

fourth district. House of delegates-J. Howard Harvey of the sixth and William A. Makinson of the second. County commissioner-Hart B. Noll of the

second. County treasurer-George C. Peddicord of that eighty-four gates, six stables and the fourth. Orphans' court-Herman D. Wehland of

the first; Thomas W. Christian of the sixth and George F. Streaker of the third. Sheriff-William W. Welling of the fifth. State's attorney-J. Clark Thomas of the

N A SERIOUS CONIDITION CAMBON AND BUELOW WORK ON LABOR DAY PROHIBITED POSTALS HANDBOOK CASE IN COURT BUSY DAY AT THE FAIR

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AND CATTLE ARE SOME CLASSY

Best Ever.

Fakers There Are in Plenty and Bands, Side Shows and All

Sorts of Things.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

ROCKVILLE, Md., August 27, 1907. The Rockville fair opened this mornng under circumstances which encourage the management to believe that it will prove one of the most successful within the society's history. Weather conditions were auspicious, exhibits in all departments complete and interesting, and the attendance gratifyingly large. The grounds never appeared to better advantage. Every vestige of dirt had been removed; the stables, stalls, fences, etc. wore spotless coats of whitewash, and the trees and grass were fresh and green as a result of the recent frequent rains. The many gaily decorated booths and tents added to the attractiveness of the

As is the case on all opening days, the grounds during the early hours were a scene of bustle and confusion. Exhibits were arriving in large numbers, and the fair attaches were kept busy arranging them in position. By the early after-noon everything was in place, the fakir began his familiar cry, the bands played, and the fair was on in earnest. The race program for the afternoon promises some excellent sport, and following this there will be a base ball game between the Rockville and Brookland teams.

Splendid Poultry Display. While the poultry display is again one of the most interesting features of the fair, and while the quality of the specimens has probably never been excelled at Rockville, the total number of birds on exhibition is considerably less than in former years. This is probably because the entrance fees are now double what they were and the regulations much more stringent, the object of the change being to keep away many of the big professional exhibitors and thereby stimulate the county people to greater effort in the poultry raising line. It is believed the wisdom of this policy will become more and more apparent, and that the exhibits, both in numbers and quality, will grow year by year, and before long be almost exclu-sively by people of Montgomery county. There are probably a thousand specimens of poultry on exhibition this year, including

cured, and tomorrow morning the task of determining the merits of the numerous specimens will begin. The horse show has long been one of the chief attractions of the Rockville fair, and this year it is fully up to the standard. The very finest specimens the county can boast of are on exhibition. At half-past 9 o'clock tomorrow morning every horse and colt of

everything from diminutive bantams to

giant Brahmas. The services of two ex-

O. Brown of Parkville, Md.-have been se-

erts-A. E. Warner of Baltimore and Geo.

the grounds will participate in a grand march ground the race track. Regret Lack of Space.

Lack of space kept the exhibition of cattle from being by long odds the finest ever seen at Rockville. All available space was engaged as early as last Friday, and since that time dozens of splendid specimens had to be refused entrance. Those on exhibition include magnificent herds of registered and grade Jerseys, Helsteins, Red Polled, Guesnseys, Durham, Devon, Swiss and Ayr-shires. G. Arthur Bell of Washington will judge the cattle, sheep and hogs.

The main exhibition hall is filled to overflowing with a great variety of exhibits. Here are farm and garden products in abundance, flowers, growing plants, fruits, dairy products, domestic manufactures, works of art, preserves, canned fruits, jel-lies, bread, cakes, candles and numerous

other things. Big Day Tomorrow. Tomorrow will be one of the big days of the fair. The program for the day includes the judging of exhibits in the morning, a grand parade of horses around the race track at 9:30, and four racing events in the

afternoon. The entries for the races follow: First race, 2.14 trot and 2.17 pace, mixed; purse, \$400-Volman's Daughter, W. C. Fox, Swedesboro, N. J.; Investor, C. F. Clarke, Waynesboro, N. J.; Investor, C. F. Clarke, Waynesboro, Pa.; Red Rock, Washington Nailor, Washington, D. C.; Edna G., Lee S. Dorsey, Rockville, Md.; Dillon Queen, Buttonwood stock farm, Gettysburg, Pa. Second race, 2.19 trot and 2.22 pace; mixed; purse, \$400—Nora W., Kavanaugh Bros., Harrisonburg, Va.; Skiddoo, R. A. Smith, Frederick, Md.; Rara Avis, J. C. Mott, Washington, D. C.; Kushan, William E. Miller, Washington, D. C.; May Queen, G. Goodacre, Washington, D. C.; Riley A., Frank, Crovo, Washington, D. C.; The Frank Crovo, Washington, D. C.; The Duke, William Chambers, Washington, D. C.; Golden Glen, F. B. Hershey, Waynesboro, Pa.; Hero, John W. Seemer, Easton, Mr.; Frank S., Eckington Stock Farm,

Third race, running, mile dash; purse, \$150-Freckman, E. C. Allnutt, Rockville, Md.; Ethelbertha, Black Flag, Twister and Marie Lassie, William Robinson, Baltimore, An attack by a colored man on a girl and a man, who were walkink last Sunday evening in Dead Man's Hollow, near the Virginia end of the Long bridge, has been Man's Hollow, near the Policy in the Long bridge, has been Man's Hollow, near the Policy in the Long bridge, has been Man's Hollow, near the Policy in the Long bridge, has been Man's Hollow, near the Policy in Marie Lassie, William Robinson, Bartander, Mad; Tryon and Rabbee, N. B. Plunkett, Washington, D. C.; Night of Weston and Verbo, F. L. W. Green, Fredericksburg, Va.; Satirist, Lee S. Dorsey, Rockville, Md.; Sagate and Gunston, A. L. Moore, Policy in the Long bridge, has been the Long bridge and the Long bridge and Long bridge Rockv'lle, Md.

Eastville, Va.

Fourth race, running; half mile and repeat; purse, \$150—Ethelbertha, Black Flag,
Twister and Marie Lassie, William Robinson, Baltimore, Md.; Arawaka, C. H. Morrison, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Carrie Graham, A. L. Moore, Rockville, Md. The Woodsboro brass band of forty pieces, which has has furnished music for the fair for many years, is again on hand.

Cashell. Mr. Artemus Sullivan is chief of UTILITY TAX REPORT SOON. And Then There'll Be Digestion of .

J. Clinton Dorsey is chief marshal of the fair, and his assistants are Joseph D. Jan-

ney. W. P. Jones, L. B. Riggs, A. Brown, Charles Holland, Wa ter Cashell, James

Cashell, Samuel Bussard and Samuel

Facts. Commissioner West tomorrow morning . will receive the long-looked-for detailed report from the assessors of the District upon the assessed valuation of holdings of the various public utility corporations operating in the District of Columbia. Nearly three weeks have passed since it was discovered that the two local gas companies were not paying taxes on their service pipes and gas meters, and since Commissioner West called upon the assessor and his assistants to institute a rigid investigation into the assessments of the other public utilities. It was Commissioner West's aim in calling for this investigation to determine whether or not any other holdings of

Reinburg Obsequies.

these corporations were escaping taxa.ion

The funeral of John H. Reinburg, who died Sunday morning at 5:30 o'clock at his home, 524 22d street northwest, in the fiftysixth year of his age, took place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from his late residence, and was attended by members of the Oldest Inhabitants' Association, and of George A. Meade Post, G. A. R., of which the deceased was a member. Interment was

Mr. Reinburg had been a resident of this city since the close of the civil war, and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Annie M. Rein-